## **KEEPING TRACK**

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Print out this chart to keep track of the number of servings you eat. This will let you see how easy it is to fit at least 5 a day into your diet. If you need help increasing the number, go to the "How To Eat 5 A Day" section and use the checklist below.

|           | Breakfast                     | # | Lunch   | #   | Snacks                | # | Dinner                        | # | Total |
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| Sunday    |                               |   |   |     |                       |   |                               |   |       |
| Monday    |                               |   |   |     |                       |   |                               |   |       |
| Tuesday   |                               |   |   |     |                       |   |                               |   |       |
| Wednesday |                               |   |   |     |                       |   |                               |   |       |
| Thursday  |                               |   |   |     |                       |   |                               |   |       |
| Thui suay |                               |   |   |     |                       |   |                               |   |       |
| Friday    |                               |   |   |     |                       |   |                               |   |       |
| Saturday  |                               |   |   |     |                       |   |                               |   |       |
| Example:  | *1 banana<br>*3/4 c.<br>juice | 2 | *small salad<br>*lettuce &<br>tomato on<br>sandwich | 1 ½ | Apple<br>½ grapefruit | 2 | 1 cup<br>broccoli<br>1 potato | 3 | 8 ½   |

## **CHECKLIST OF CHANGES**

Print out a copy of the checklist. Choose one of the action steps and try to make this change. Every other week, choose another to work on. Once you have mastered a change, check it off. For best results, start with the ones that are easiest for you to do. These are lifelong changes, so do what works for <u>you</u>! If these don't fit into your lifestyle, add some of your own in the space provided.

|     | Drink 100% fruit juice instead of soda, fruit drink, tea, or coffee.                                   |
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|     | Add a fruit to your breakfast. A banana in your cereal or a cup of 100% juice with your toast or both! |
|     | Fill your plate with an extra serving of vegetables at dinner.   |
|     | Add cooked dried beans or peas (ex., kidney, black, white, chickpea, black-eyed,) to your              |
|     | casserole, soups, stews, and sauces. See "Recipes" for ideas.  |
|     | Eat a piece of fruit for your snack once a day.  |
|     | Bring a piece of fruit or cut-up vegetables to work with you.  |
|     | Choose a baked potato, vegetable soup, or a salad instead of French fries.                             |
|     | Eat a meatless dish packed with vegetables once a week.  |
|     | Eat a piece of fruit or fruit salad for dessert.   |
|     | Try a new vegetable recipe once a week.  |
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| Add | your own goals here:   |
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